

California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Tuesday, March 22, 2022
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Day 1 (Tuesday): Gusty winds of 35-50 mph continue across southern California. A significant warming trend in temperatures will occur this week, with forecasted 80s over the Central Valley and southwest California, and 90s possible in the southern deserts. These temperatures will be near or even above record territory for late March, with some heat impacts possible.

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CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

03/22/22 - 03/28/22

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds	Southern						
Snow						Inland	Inland
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)							
Heat Risk	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	
Heavy Rain/Flash Flooding/ Debris Flow							
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

WEATHER KEY POINTS

03/22/22 - 03/28/22

Tuesday - Monday

- Gusty winds of 35-50 mph will continue across southern California through Tuesday afternoon.
- A significant warming trend in temperatures will occur through the week and into the weekend, particularly for areas just inland
 - Widespread temperatures in the 80s are forecast over the Central Valley and southwest California Tuesday through Saturday, while the southern deserts see readings in excess of 90 degrees many afternoons
 - These temperatures will be near or even above record territory for late March, with some heat impacts possible
- The next storm system will bring cooler temperatures, rain, and mountain snow to much of the state on Sunday and into Monday.



PRECIPITATION FORECAST

03/22/22 - 03/24/22

No significant precipitation is expected through Thursday

Note: Forecast precipitation amounts are an average for any particular location. Thunderstorms may produce locally higher rainfall amounts.

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

03/27/22 - 04/04/22

6-10 Day Outlook (March 27 - March 31)

Temperatures

- Above average temperatures are strongly favored to continue for much of the state, except near normal temperatures are favored along the coast

Precipitation

- Above normal precipitation is favored for much of the state, with near normal precipitation across northwest and far southern California

8-14 Day Outlook (March 29 – April 3)

Temperatures

- Below normal temperatures are favored statewide

Precipitation

- Near normal precipitation is favored statewide



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